

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

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Engel et al.

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Title: Method for a Programmed Controlled Ovarian Stimulation Protocol

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**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the official action dated 20 June 2007, please consider the following amendments and remarks. This response is timely in view of the petition for an extension of time to file in the third month and the requisite fee.